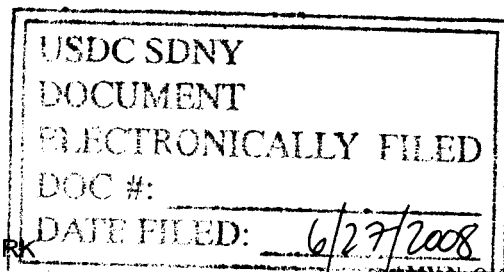


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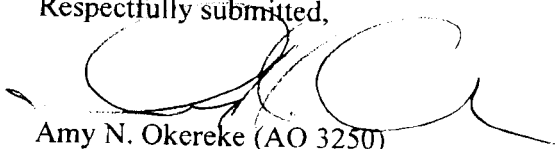
Re: Marcus Rasean Thompson v. C.O. John Doe, et al.
 07 Civ. 3243 (WHP)

Your Honor:

I am the attorney in the office of Michael A. Cardozo, Corporation Counsel of the City of New York assigned to the defense of the above matter, in which an initial conference is scheduled for June 23, 2008 at 3:00 p.m. The Court has instructed that defendants make plaintiff, who is currently incarcerated at Fishkill Correctional Facility, available to participate at this conference via telephone. I have been informed by Mr. Thompson's Counselor at Fishkill Correctional Facility, Mr. M. Heady, that due to staffing availability and correctional procedures at Fishkill, Mr. Thompson is available only prior to 2:30 p.m., and preferably between 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Due to these time constraints, I respectfully request that the conference be rescheduled to a time convenient to the Court, between the hours of 8:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. Furthermore, the undersigned respectfully requests that the conference be rescheduled to a date on or after June 25, 2008, due to professional obligations. Plaintiff is incarcerated and proceeding *pro se*; therefore, this application is made directly to the Court.

I thank the Court for its time and consideration of this request.

Respectfully submitted,


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application granted. The conference is adjourned until July 1, 2008 at 11:55am
 SO ORDERED:


 WILLIAM H. PAULEY III U.S.D.J.

6/24/2008